

Weekly Newsletter

Good News!

Cooling Bamboo System is a Green Alternative to Air Conditioning



As is happening all over the planet, the number of sweltering days affecting people each year in Vietnam has grown significantly in recent years as a result of climate change. Using air conditioning may help reduce people's exposure to life-threatening hot temperatures. The problem is, always keeping the A/C running not only leads to exorbitant energy costs, but also further exacerbates the effects of global warming.

Natural cooling system

In a bid to find a solution, multidisciplinary architecture agency AREP came up with an alternative cooling system in the form of a low-tech bamboo prototype. The system uses what's known as an adiabatic process to provide a sustainable and affordable solution to cooling down urban areas. Adiabatic cooling uses an evaporative cooling process where air flows across water, which absorbs heat from the air, cooling it off as it continues on by.

"For centuries, ancient civilizations cooled down their buildings by using the natural freshness of water through the adiabatic principle. To evaporate, water needs energy which is 'absorbed' from the heat of the ambient air, thus generating the cooling effect," explains AREP.

Announcements



Purchase Tickets for Your Chance to Win the Quilt Fiesta Opportunity Quilt: High Desert Garden

Who wouldn't want to win this gorgeous quilt?!
Get your tickets the next time you visit our store.
See the quilt in person at Santa Fe Quilting.



It's the beginning of another new month, and with it another new theme.

Piecing 101 and Beyond

Janome has a stitch and a foot for that! We love quilters and want to set you up for piecing success. See the wide range of stitches and presser feet that can help

you piece perfectly. From straight lines to curved we've got you covered.

[Visit Janome's Facebook Page](#)

Quick Reminders . . .

- [Summertime Skill Builder Giveaway](#) - Head over to the Janome Sewing Machines Facebook page every Wednesday at 3 pm EST to watch the live demonstration. You will have until the following Wednesday at 3 pm EST (one week) to enter the contest for your chance to win one of 5 prize bundles at the end of the Summer!

Featured Products

[Daylight Slimline Magnifying Lamp](#)

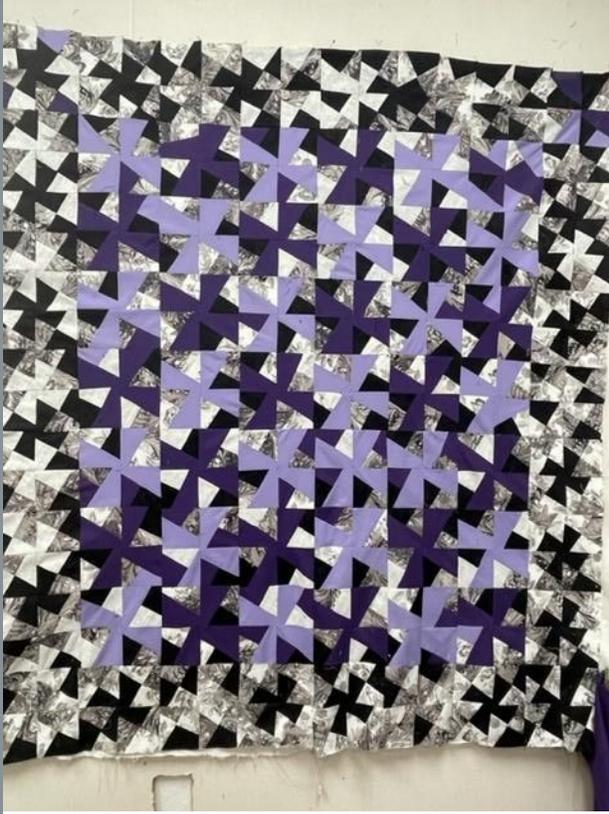


This unique, stylish slimline magnifier is ideal for all your detailed work. The bright Daylight LED's are low heat so comfortable to work with and no heat in your face. With a slimline head and adjustable internal spring arm you can position the lamp easily with one hand exactly where you need the light. Two easily changeable 13cm/5" glass lenses (1.75X and 2.25X) (included) ensure you see intricate details clearly. Supplied with table clamp. The Daylight LED's provide high contrast and accurate color matching, making it easier and less tiring to work and see detail clearly. LED's never need replacing and use very little energy.

[See All Lighting](#)

What Our Customers Are Up To

Dolores G. finished two quilt tops. The purple twister was her first using the Twister Tool. Elizabeth H. quilted this lovely forest theme pinwheel quilt front and back.



Now, we'd like to see what *you're* up to, and share it to help inspire others—whether it's a project, a great book you're reading, pictures from a recent vacation, or really great recipe.

Send photos by replying to this email, or sending directly to:
info@sewingcenterofsantafe.com

Classes



Chicago Jacket

Saturday, August 13,
9:30am - noon & 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Saturday, August 20,
9:30am to 12:00pm

Hurry! Just two spaces left!

The Chicago Jacket is an unlined jacket has curved waist seams, diagonal front darted seams with pocket openings. Center front darts shape the narrow lapels leading to turn-down collar. Raglan sleeves blend into short curved shoulder seams. Sizes XS-XXL

[Class Fee: \\$68](#)

[Pattern: \\$25](#)

[Supply List](#)

Skill Level: Intermediate



Embroidered Haunted House II

Mondays, August 15 & 29,
1:30pm - 4:30pm

Crooked lines and a creepy glow will make kids second guess knocking on this door for Halloween. Complete this creepy scene with the included freestanding tree and fence.

[Class Fee: \\$40](#)

[Design CD: \\$35](#)

[Supply List](#)



[Cat Napper](#)

Fridays, August 19 & September 2, 9:30pm - 12:30pm

The Cat Napper is a 2-in-1 pattern for cat lovers! Use as a mat or secure the top to use as a tunnel. Choose to make with a single fabric or make a patchwork version. This pattern can be made with charm squares, layer cakes, fat quarters, or yardage!

Not JUST for cats! (Piglet not included.)

[Class Fee: \\$48](#)

[Pattern: \\$11](#)

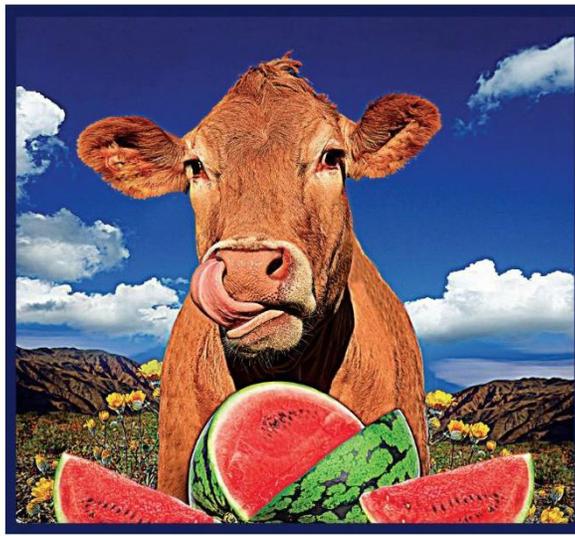
[Supply List](#)

Skill Level: Confident Beginner

[Visit Our Class Page](#)

Local Fun

[Santa Fe County Fair](#)

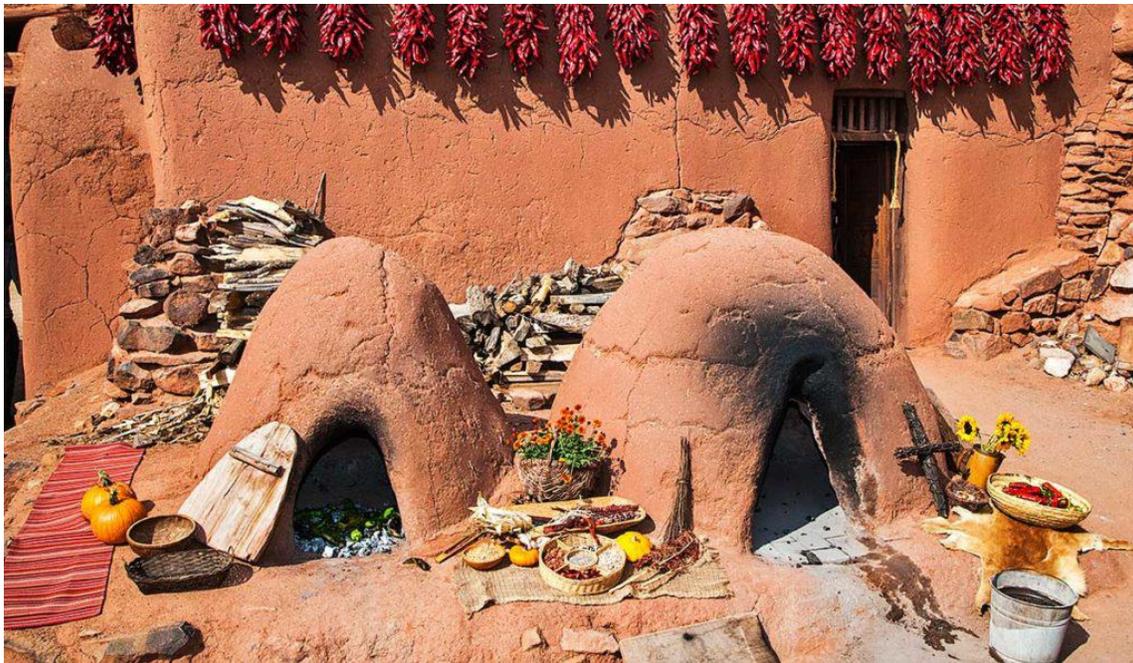


August 3 - August 6, 2022

Santa Fe County would like to invite all residents to enjoy the festivities of the Santa Fe County Fair, at the Santa Fe County Fairgrounds, 3229 Rodeo Rd.

August 3 through 5, 10am-7pm Indoor Exhibit Hall open to the public
August 6, 9am-7pm Indoor Exhibit Hall open to the public

[See the Schedule \(PDF\)](#)



The 4th Annual Santa Fe Beer & Food Festival at El Rancho de las Golondrinas

Dates: August 6 & 7
Time: 12pm to 6pm
Adult Admission: \$8
Seniors (62+), teens (13-18): \$6
12 and under: FREE!

Come out and try local, regional and national beers, paired with delicious food from all over New Mexico, along with live music and the Best Beer Contest.

[Learn More](#)

Inspiration

[Scrappy Coaster](#)



If you need a little piecing practice before you start cutting into your favorite fabrics, why not give these cute coasters a whirl. They're small enough to get done in a jiffy, and they use pieces of fabric that might otherwise be thrown away.

Skill Level: Beginner

You may even decide to use them as quilt blocks in a larger project.

[Get the Directions \(PDF\)](#)

[Visit Our Website](#)

Safe Shopping at Sewing Center of Santa Fe

We remain diligent about keeping you and our staff healthy. Please stay home if you're not feeling well. Curbside service is always available.

Proper fitting masks are still required

STORE HOURS:

Mon - Sat 10 - 4

Closed Sun

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